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SUBJECT: KANG MUN-PONG SENTENCE REDUCED

REF: SEOUL 1348

1. ON JUNE 26, SEOUL APPELLATE COURT ANNOUNCED IT HAD REDUCED FORMER NATIONAL ASSEMBLYMAN KANG MUN-PONG'S SENTENCE FROM 10 YEARS TO SEVEN (REF). KANG HAD BEEN FOUND GUILTY OF ACCEPTING BRIBES AND VIOLATING EMERGENCY MEASURE NO. NINE.
2. SENIOR JUDGE KIM SANG-WON ALSO REDUCED YUCHONGHOE ASSEMBLYMAN'S 92 MILLION WON FINE TO 70 MILLION WON AND SLIGHTLY REDUCED FORFEITURE OF MONEYS FROM ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT OF OVER 23 MILLION WON TO 21,773,000 WON. ANNOUNCEMENT SAID PUNISHMENT WAS LIGHTENED "IN CONSIDERATION OF (KANG'S) CONTRIBTUION TO NATION AS MILITARY OFFICER, DIPLOMAT AND LAWMAKER."
3. ORIGINAL SENTENCE WAS CONSIDERED BY COURT OBSERVERS TO BE QUITE HARSH. EVEN IN LIGHT OF REDUCTION, THIS SENTENCE IS STILL NOT CONSIDERED LIGHT.

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